

AN ACT proposing to amend Section 43 of the Constitution of Kentucky.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔Section 1. It is proposed that Section 43 of the Constitution of Kentucky be amended to read as follows:

The members of the General Assembly shall, in all cases except treason, felony, breach or surety of the peace, be privileged from arrest during their attendance on the sessions of their respective Houses, and in going to and returning from the same; and for any speech or debate in either House they shall not be questioned in any other place.

This section shall not be applicable to any member of the General Assembly seeking to use the immunity established herein, to escape prosecution from the general laws of the Commonwealth.

➔Section 2. This amendment shall be submitted to the voters of the Commonwealth for their ratification or rejection at the time and in the manner provided for under Sections 256 and 257 of the Constitution and under KRS 118.415. The question on the ballot shall read as follows: "Are you in favor of prohibiting a member of the General Assembly from using the immunity privilege in the Kentucky Constitution to escape prosecution of the general laws of the state?".